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ATTN: MAIL STOP RCE
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

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Group Art Unit: 1633

Examiner: Kaushal, Sumesh

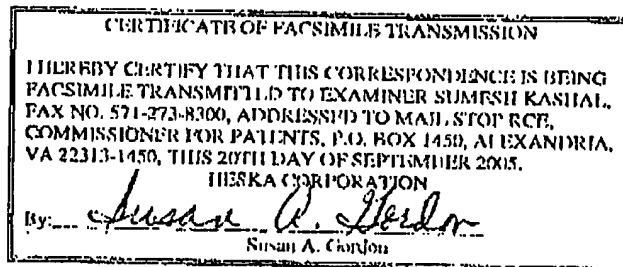
PETITION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME

Serial No.: 10/787,382

Filed: February 24, 2004

Atty. File No.: 1M-2-C1-C1-1

For: "CANINE IL-5 NUCLEIC ACID
MOLECULES"



Mail Stop RCE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) of one (1) month to respond to the final Office Action mailed on April 20, 2005, with respect to the above-identified application, thereby extending the period for response from August 20, 2005 to September 20, 2005. A Petition for a one-month extension of time extending the period for reply from July 20, 2005 to August 20, 2005 was previously filed with Applicants' Amendment and Response on July 27, 2005.

Applicants claim small entity. Please debit Deposit Account No. 081930 in the amount of \$165.00 as payment for the extension fee (\$225 less the \$60 already paid for the previously filed one-month extension). Please credit any overpayment or debit any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 081930.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: September 20, 2005

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